



Docket No. 070824057

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**IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE**

Applicant(s): Phyllis SHAPIRO

Group Art Unit: 1631

Serial No.: 09/865,759

Examiner: Carolyn L Smith

Filed: 05/25/2001

For: AUTOMATED METHOD FOR CORRECTING BLOOD ANALYSIS PARAMETER  
RESULTS AFFECTED BY INTERFERENCE FROM EXOGENOUS BLOOD  
SUBSTITUTES IN WHOLE BLOOD, PLASMA AND SERUM

**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a))**

Mail Stop \_\_\_\_\_  
Commissioner for Patents  
P.O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition for an extension of time for a Response to the Office Action dated August 12, 2003
2. The communication in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested  
☒ is filed herewith.  
☐ has been filed on \_\_\_\_\_.
3. ☐ Applicant(s) is/are entitled to Small Entity Status.  
☐ Statement has already been filed

4.		Total Months Requested	Fee for Other than Small Entity	Fee for Small Entity
a.	<input checked="" type="checkbox"/>	one month	\$110.00	\$55.00
b.	<input type="checkbox"/>	two months	\$420.00	\$210.00
c.	<input type="checkbox"/>	three months	\$950.00	\$475.00
d.	<input type="checkbox"/>	four months	\$1,480.00	\$740.00
e.	<input type="checkbox"/>	five months	\$2,010.00	\$1,005.00

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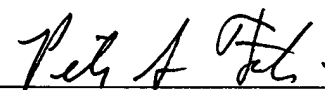
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- f. ☐ An extension for \_\_\_\_\_ months has already been secured for filing the above-identified communication and the fee paid therefor of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested. The fee for this extension (\$\_\_\_\_\_), minus the fee previously paid (\$\_\_\_\_\_) equals \$\_\_\_\_\_ (total fee due).
5. ☒ A check in the amount of \$110.00 to cover the extension fee is attached.
6. ☐ Charge fee to Deposit Account No. 13-4500, Order No. \_\_\_\_\_. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.
7. ☒ The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any additional fees which may be required by this paper, or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-4500. Order No. 0708-4057. A DUPLICATE COPY OF THIS SHEET IS ATTACHED.

Respectfully submitted,  
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Dated: December 9, 2003

By: \_\_\_\_\_



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